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Applicants:	Robert Daniel Maher III, et al.	§	Docket No.:	32849.16
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Serial No.:	09/598,631	§	Examiner:	Samson B. Lemma
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Filed:	June 21, 2000	§	Art Unit:	2132
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For:	Method and Apparatus for	§	Conf. No.:	6324
	Preventing Denial of Service	§		
	Attacks	§		

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.312**

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance of November 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.